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 FOR PROVIDING SOUND FOR A SPA

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND RESPONSE TO ADVISORY
ACTION AFTER FINAL

Dear Sir:

Introductory Comments

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and Response to Advisory Action is being submitted in reply to the Advisory Action mailed August 18, 2005, under the Final Office Action mailed May 4, 2005 for the above-referenced application. Since this Response is being filed on or before September 6, 2005 (September 4, 2005 being a Sunday and September 5, 2005 being Labor Day, an official holiday within the District of Columbia), this Response is being submitted with a one-month extension of time to file and the appropriate one-month extension fee.

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Amendment dated 6 September 2005
Reply to Advisory Action 8 August 2005

Amendments to the Claims appear on page 3 of this paper. Applicant's **Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.